Community marriage for 22 couples without dowry

This was a new experience for the people getting married. Finally their dreams became a reality. On Monday, April 30th, at Ram Manohar Lohiya PG College, 22 couples were married without dowry in a community ceremony. Their married life started with a marriage of simplicity and purity. There was no hassle of dowry nor was there the blinding glamor of modern day marriages. If there was something it was the blessings and love of the people.

All the people welcomed the idea of dowry-free marriages. The marriages were conducted in accordance to Hindu customs and rituals. About 4000 people attended the marriages and they gave gifts to the newly-wed. Lok Samiti gave a bicycle, a sewing machine, a clock and some clothes. Lok Samiti also provided snacks/food to all the people attending the marriage. I would really like to thank and congratulate all the people who supported this program.

No divorce, no dowry, marriage is not a business,
A life partner who has been bought, is not acceptable to a woman!!

Nandlal Master

In Hindi -
<u>Bina Dahej ke 22 jogo ne kiya samuhik shadi</u>

Unke jiwan me ye naya anubhav tha. Na jane kitane dino se ankho me saj rahe khwab aaj hakikat me badal gaya.

Dr. Ram Manohar Lohiya P.G Collage me Monday ko bina dahej ke 22 jodo ki shadi kiya gaya. Sat janmo tak sang sang rahne ke unke safar ki shuruat sadgi aur shalinta ke sath hua. Na dahej ka jhanjhat aur na hi adhunikta ka chamak dhamak. Agar kuchh tha… to logo ka pyar aur aashirwad.

Dahej rahit shadi ki sabhi logo ne bahut swagat kiya. Hindu Riti Riwaj se shadi ki rasme achchha se karaya gaya. Kareeb 4000 logo ne programe me bhag liya. Logo ne apne apne tarah sabhi ko gift bhi diya. Lok Samiti ki taraf se ek bicycle, ek sewing machine, ek clock, aur kapade diya gaye. aur sabhi sathiyo ko nasta karaya gaya. Programe me sahyog dene wale sabhi sathiyo ko bahut bahut danywad auy badai.

Talak nahi, Dahej nahi, Shadi koi byapar nahi,
Kharida hua Jiwan Sathi, Nari ko swikar nahi…..

Nandlal Master